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I know her as a kindly, ancient dame,
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Full of content, amid all change the same,
Gladdening the seasons with her great good cheer.

So goddess, lofty in fidelity,
But busy, happy, friendly with all men.
Wise and loquacious, innocently free,
Telling of what shall be and what has been.

She has unnumbered secrets in her care;
She screens her mysteries with a sound and sight;
Yet half reveals their meaning every where.
And hints it in the sunset every night.

She is a tender mother in the spring:
She pets each little leaf and blade of grass;
She teaches brooks and rivers how to sing,
And lends the winds with blessings as they pass.

And not less tender when the weary year
Lies down and dies amid the withered leaves.
She hath no more the treasures held so dear,
Yet keeps her quiet patience, while she grieves.

Daily, in trustful, kind simplicity,
She shows to men her beauty's excellence,
Willing that every human soul should see
Upon her happy face God's evidence.

Alike to poor and rich, to dull and wise,
She gives her flowers, her sunshine, and her breeze;
In every nook she hides some fair surprise,
She leaves no spot unloved on lands or seas.

Would that we all, like her, in rare good-will,
Made room for all things in our sympathy;
Content to labor patiently until
God's message, through our lives, is full and free.

Harper's Magazine for February.

Miscellaneous.

A Green One on his Travels.

BY MARK TWAIN.

Col. Jim had seen somewhat of the world, and knew more or less of its ways; but Col. Jack was from the back settlements of the State, had led a life of arduous toil, and had never seen a city. These two, blessed with sudden wealth, projected a visit to New York. Col. Jack to see the sights, and Col. Jim to guard his unsophistication from misfortune. They reached San Francisco in the night, and sailed in the morning. Arrived in New York, Col. Jack said;

"I have heard tell of carriages all my life, and now I mean to have a ride in one; I don't care what it costs. Come along."

They stepped out on the sidewalk, and Col. Jim called a stylish barouche. But Col. Jack said:

"No, sir! None of your cheap John turn-outs for me. I'm here to have a good time, and money ain't any object. I mean to have the nobblest rig that's going. Now here comes the very trick. Stop that yaller one with pictures on it—don't you fret—I'll stand all the expenses myself."

So Col. Jim stopped an empty omnibus, and they got in. Said Col. Jack;

"Ain't it gay though? Oh, no, I reckon not! Cushions, and windows, and pictures, till you can't rest. What would the boys say if they could see us cutting a swell like this in New York? By George, I wish they *could* see us."

Then he put his head out of the window, and shouted to the driver:

"Say, Johnny, this suits *me!*—suits yours truly, you bet you! I want this shebang all day. I'm on it old man! Let 'em out! Make 'em go! We'll make it all right with you, sonny!"

The driver passed his hand through the strap hole, and tapped for his fare—it was before the gongs came into common use. Col. Jack took the hand, and shook it cordially. He said:

"You twig me old pard! All right between gents. Smell of *that*, and see how you like it!"

And he put a twenty-dollar gold piece in the driver's hand. After a moment the driver said he could not make change.

"Bother the change! Ride it out. Put it in your pocket."

Then to Col. Jim with a sounding on his thigh:

"*Ain't* it stile though? Hanged if I don't hire this thing every day for a week."

The omnibus stopped, and a young lady got in. Col. Jack started for a moment then nudged Col. Jim with his elbow:

"Don't say a word," he whispered. "Let her ride, if she wants to. Gracious, ther's room enough."

The young lady got out her portmonaie, and handed her fare to Col. Jack.

"What's this for?" said he.

"Give it to the driver, please.

"Take back your money, madam. We can't allow it. You're welcome to ride here as long as you please, but this shebang's chartered, and we can't let you pay a cent."

The girl shrunk into a corner bewildered. An old lady with a basket in, and proffered her fare.

"Excuse me," said Col. Jack. "You're perfectly welcome here, madam, but we can't allow you to pay. Set right down there mum, and don't you be in the least uneasy. Make yourself just as free as if you was in your own turn-out."

Within two minutes, three gentleman two fat woman, and a couple of children, entered.

"Come right along, friends," said Col. Jack; don't mind us. This is free blowout." Then he whispered to Col. Jim, "New York ain't no sociable place, I don't reckon—it ain't no *name* for it."

He resisted every effort to pass fares to the driver, and made every one cordially welcome. The situation dawned upon the people, and they proketed their money, and delivered themselves up to covert enjoyment of the episode. Half a dozen more passengers entered.

"Oh, there's plenty of room," said Col. Jack. "Walk right in, and make yourselves at home. A blow-out ain't worth anything as a blow-out, unless a body has company." Then in a whisper to Col. Jim: "But ain't these New Yorkers friendly? And ain't they cool about it too? Icebergs ain't anywhere. I reckon they'd tackle a hearse, if it was going their way."

More passengers got in; more yet, and still more. Both seats were filled, and a file of men were standing up, holding on to the cleats overhead. Parties with baskets and bundles were climbing up on the roof. Half-suppressed laughter rippled up from all sides.

"Well, for clean, cool, out-and-out cheek, if this don't bang anything that ever I saw, I'm an Injun!" whispered Col. Jack.

A Chinaman crowded his way in.

"I weaken!" said Col. Jack. "Hold on, driver! Keep your seats, ladies and gents. Just make yourselves free—everything's paid for. Driver, rustle these folks around as long as they're a mind to go—friends of ours you know. Take them everywheres—and if you want more money, come to the St. Nicholas and we'll make it all right, Pleasant journey to you, ladies and gents—go it just as long as you please—it shan't cost you a cent!"

The two comrades got out, and Col. Jack said.

"Jimmy, it is the sociablest place I ever saw. The Chinaman waltzed in as comfortable as anybody. If we'd staid awhile I reckon we'd had some niggers. By George, we'll have to barricade our doors to-night, or some of these ducks will be trying to sleep with us."

A Sleepy David.

In a certain small town on the Mississippi lived a man who made horse trading a business. He bought up horses for a city market, and was considered pretty good on a trade.

One day, a long, lean, queer, green looking specimen of the Western country arrived at the dock with a boat load of horses. He enquired for the horse jockey.

"Daddy sent me down with some horses," he said in a half idiotic tone.

"Who is he?

"Daddy."

"What do you want for your horses?"

"Daddy said you could set your price,' was the response.

"Let me go down and look at your horses," said Brown, and accordingly they were soon at the boat.

Brown examined the horses, and named the price he would give for this one and for that, and the country bumpkin made no objection, although some of the offers were not more than one-half the worth of the animal. One of the bystanders said to the countryman that he was being cheated, but he returned:

"Daddy said Brown would set the price," and so Brown had it all his own way.

At last they came to another animal, which did not look so much superior to the rest.

"I must have more for this animal," said the fellow. "Daddy says he can run some."

"Run!" said Brown, "the nag can't run worth a cent.

"Daddy said so and daddy knows."

"Why, I've got one up in the stable that would beat him all hollow."

"Guess not," said the fellow, "let's try 'em; I'll bet the whole boat load of horses on 'em." Brown smiled.

"I'll stake five thousand dollars against your boat load," said Brown, winking to the crowd; "and these men," selecting two, "shall hold the stakes,"

Brown's five thousand dollars were intrusted to one, and the other went on board the horse boat.

One of the crowd started to remonstrate with the idiotic fellow, but he only responded:

"Golly! dad told me he could run some, and daddy ought to lose if he was such a tarnal fool to tell me that when he couldn't."

Brown's sleek racer was brought down and Brown mounted him. The countryman led out his animal and clambered on his back, looking as uncouth and awkward as the horse he proposed to ride.

The word was given and they started amidst the laughter of the crowd. At first Brown was at the head and it looked as if the poor fellow was going to be badly beaten, when suddenly the horse plunged forward and the jockey was left far behind. Such going had not been seen in those parts for a long time, and poor Brown was crest-fallen as the cheers of the bystanders fell on his ears.

"I'll take the spondulix," said the countryman, riding up. "Dad was right, the anermal can get round a little."

Brown tried to say it was all a joke, but the fellow would have his money.

"I guess I won't trade to-day," he said, as he put up his old rough leather pocket-book, "I'll go back to daddy."

In vain Brown tried to induce him to trade, but he pushed off his boat, resolutely, saying:

"I'd better go back and tell daddy."

Brown was completely sold, for he knew at once that the green countryman was a little shrewder than people imagined him and just come there purposely to win his money from him.

Next time he did not ridicule a horse that "daddy" said could "run some."

Fisk's First Mistake.

Fisk used to often tell about his first mistake in life.

Said the Colonel, "When I was a little boy on the Vermont farm, my father took me up to the stable one day, where a row of cows stood in the stable."

Said he, "James, the stable window is pretty high for a boy, but do you think you could take this shovel and clean out the stable?"

"I don't know, Pop," said James, "I never *have* done it."

"Well, my boy, if you will do it this morning, I'll give you this bright silver dollar," said his father, patting him on his head, while he held the silver dollar before his eyes.

"Good," said James, "I'll try"—and away he went to work. He tugged and pulled and lifted and puffed, and finally it was done, and his father gave him the bright silver dollar, saying—

"That's right, James; you did it splendidly, and now I find you can do it so nicely, I shall have you to do it *every morning all winter.*"

A Jury of Peers.

There dwelt some years ago in Bourbon county, Kentucky, a drunken, worthless, one-eyed fellow named C——, whose chief occupations were getting tipsy and fighting. There had just been elected a new prosecuting attorney, who was entitled to part of the fines which might be imposed on the malefactors of Bourbon, and he determined to squelch old C——. He did not wait long for an opportunity to have him arrested. B——, the constable, said, as it was an important case, he wanted about three days to get an appropriate jury to try it. On the third day the new attorney was informed that things were ready at the court house. There was the judge, and behind him the constable. On one side sat old one-eyed C——; on the other, the twelve jurymen, "jess like him," on benches forming a triangle, each with a plug of tobacco and jackknife, the gift of the constable, whittling away, 'and, according to order, *spitting to the centre.* The astonished prosecutor looked at the jury, and exclaimed,

"Where did the constable get this jury?"

The constable quietly replied, "I thought the prisoner was entitled to be tried by a jury of his *peers*, and I've been out three days hunting 'em up. I've got twelve here, but if you don't like 'em, I've got twelve more waiting outside."

The prosecutor looked out and saw, seated on the fence, twelve more dittos, similarly equipped and employed. He turned to the Court in undisguised wrath, and said,

"I'll dismiss this case!"

The constable wrote his return on the warrant thus, "Dismissed by the county attorney *on sight of the jury,*" and so it stands recorded to this day. The prisoner was discharged, and left the court house rejoicing at having been deprived of his constitutional right of being tried by the previously mentioned citizens.—EDITOR'S DRAWER, in *Harper's Magazine for February.*

A Temperance Anecdote.

Speaking of temperance reformers, some one tells a good story at the expense of one of the most ardent of them a person whose whole heart was in the work to such an extent that he haden't time to mend his fences or take care of his farm. A distinguished temperance lecturer was to address the citizens in the town where the farmer lived, and the latter took it upon himself to meet him at the station, and take him home with him to entertain him. The lecturer was talkative and full of "the cause." "There, now," said he, as they drove by a handsome farm-house, "anybody can see at once that a temperance man lives there. Every thing indicates it; there's thrift and industry and contentment and no doubt a happy home there. Isn't it so?"

"Yes," was the reply, "Squire—— is a temperance man, and has a very pleasant home and family."

"I was certain of it," said the lecturer. "But here is a place," he continued as they came to an old house with dilapidated fence and a neglected appearance "that you'd pick out anywhere as the house of a drunkard. See the old hats in the windows and the broken-down fence, and the neglected appearance everything has—you can't make any mistake about such a place—it sticks out all over it that it's the home of a sot." He was about to appeal to his entertainer for the truth of his surmises when that gentleman pulled rein, and turning the team up to the neglected fence, remarked with something like a sigh, "I live here."

And what could the lecturer say? He might have said, "Well, all signs fail in a dry time," but he didn't.

A NEW WAY OF GETTING A WIFE.—A German doctor in New York, who is now having more patients than he can attend to, obtained his wife, a few years ago, in a curious way. A mechanic called upon him to obtain treatment for his wife, a feeble lady, who accompanied him. Her case was pronounced consumption. The man, in dismay, inquired if she could be cured. "I can cure her," said the doctor, "but not for you. I want her myself. I will give you $1000 for her, if you will leave her to be my wife." The dumbfounded husband hesitated. It was death to his wife on the one hand, and life to her and loss to him on the other. Then he said "But I have two children." "Very well," replied the doctor, "I will take them too." The lady consented, the necessary arrangements were made, and she has since been the happy wife of a devoted but eccentric husband.

A GOOD STORY.—Florence, the comedian, tells a capital story of a waiter at one of the London taverns who was sadly given to drink. A party of young men determined to reform him, and one day read an imaginary paragraph from the paper relating a terrible accident, in which an inebriate, in blowing out a candle, was killed by the flame igniting with the fumes of his breath. Jerry pricked up his ears at this, and requested that the paragraph might be read to him again, which was done, to the evident horror of the poor man, who immediately went in search of the cook to borrow a prayer book. Returning with this, he expressed a desire to take a solemn oath upon it, bemoaned the fact that he had been a sorry tippler, and was bringing himself to ruin, and then swore that never again, so long as he lived, would he—attempt to blow out a candle.

AT Polisk, in Russia, last November, a rich proprietor, while returning home with 5000 roubles, just borrowed from a neighbor, was assaulted by a masked man, who demanded the money or his life, and secured the former. The next morning the proprietor entered the room where his son was sleeping, and was appalled to find a loaded revolver and 5000 roubles under his pillow. In a transport of shame and rage the father seized the revolver and killed the unfilial thief.

How he Decided.

A poor Turkish slater, of Constantinople, being at work upon the roof of a house, lost his footing and fell into the narrow street upon a man who chanced to be passing at the time. The pedestrian was killed by the concussion, while the slater escaped without material injury.

A son of the deceased caused the slater to be arrested and brought before the Cadi, where he made the most grave charge, and claimed ample redress.

The Cadi listened attentively, and in the end asked the slater what he had to say in his defence.

"Dispenser of Justice," answered the accused, in humble mood, "it is even as this man says; but God forbid that there should be evil in my heart. I am a poor man, and know not how I can make amends."

The son of the man who had been killed thereupon demanded that condign punishment should be inflicted upon the accused.

The Cadi meditated a few moments, and finally said:

"It shall be so."

Then to the slater he continued,—

"Thou shalt stand in the street where the father of this man stood when thou did'st fall upon him."

And to the accuser he added,—

"And thou shalt, if it so please thee, go upon the roof, and fall upon the culprit, even as he did fall upon thy father. Allah is great."

HUNG HIMSELF UP TO DRY.—A farm laborer attempting to drown himself, an Irish reaper who saw him go into the water leaped after him and brought him safe to shore.

The fellow attemping it a second time, the reaper a second time got him out; but the laborer, determined to destroy himself, watched an opportunity, and hanged himself behind the barn-door.

The Irishman observed him, but never offered to cut him down.

When, several hours afterwards, the master of the farm and asked him upon what ground he had suffered the poor fellow to hang himself:

"Faith," replied Patrick, "I don't know what you mean by ground. I know I was so good to him that I fetched him out of the water two

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Hasty Legislation.

One of the great and growing evils of the time is the hasty manner in which laws are made. The consequence is that they are crude and illy digested, in many instances unconstitutional, and frequently, in the case of local bills, are passed without consulting the people to be affected by them.

So common is this that the Legislature has become a mere machine to advance the interests of a few influential citizens, or of powerful corporations. Members are are induced to vote for measures which they believe to be wrong, through fear that, if they do not, their own legislation will be impeded or defeated. As a consequence, all matters, however trifling, are thrown into the legislative hopper and an immense amount of *chaff*, and *cheat* is the consequence. We have seen as many as one hundred bills (many of them of the gravest importance) passed in as many minutes, the subject matter of which was known to only the members who presented them, and in many instances even they did not know the consequence of what they were doing.

The record of last week's proceedings in both Senate and House fully bears out this statement. Bank acts were presented practically severing the connection between father and child—husband and wife—and contrary to the entire policy of the law. During the debate on this subject, our Member, Mr. Brockway said:

"I have noticed several bills with features similar to this; and although I think it is a foregone conclusion that they will pass—for there are few instances where corporations are refused what they ask in this body—yet I wish to point out briefly an objection that I have to it, and to all bills of this class. Section three provides that "married women and minors shall be competent to make such deposits with said corporation, and their checks, orders or receipts for the same shall be a sufficient discharge of the said corporation," &c. This enables minors to deposit money subject to their own control, and there is no provision that the parent may touch it. For that reason I think it is in conflict with the entire policy of our law. It changes all existing rules in relation to married women, and enables them to make deposits—whether they are of their own earnings or not—and keep them for their own separate use.

The capital stock of these corporations is of such nature that there is no protection whatever. By a recent examination of some of these savings-banks in New York, it was found that they were fraudulent; there was no security whatever for the depositor.

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It is true that some bills passed last year and years previously, containing this section. The fact is, this is an inducement for a man's wife to go through his pockets at night and make a deposit in the bank, and he cannot reach it afterwards. I think it would make more business for the Committee on Divorces if this was passed.

The legal objections have not yet been met so far as I can see. The parent or husband now by law is entitled to the wages of his son or daughter, and he should be entitled to them, having reared them up to the age when they would be useful to him. But suppose the bank refuses or declines to pay for any reason whatever, the married woman cannot bring the suit, nor can the minor in his own name. It seems to me that is sufficient objection to the bill."

But these Banks, not content with obtaining this privilege, have asked to be allowed to become executors, administrators, trustees, guardians, committees of lunatics, receivers, &c., *without giving bond or security*, &c.

This section was also opposed by Mr. Brockway and on motion was stricken out. Another class of objectionable legislation is granting charters of incorporation where the Courts have power. Dozens of such bills have been presented and will undoubtedly pass. Under the law the Courts can grant charters to loan associations and fire insurance companies, yet a large number of these bills are now on the calendar and opposition to their passage seems to be futile.

Many hope and believe that the coming constitutional convention will remedy all this. We believe not, because the same class of men who manage the Legislature will probably control the Convention. Even if wholesome reforms are incorporated in the Constitution, so long as Representatives are elected in the present manner, they will evade or openly ignore that instrument as they are doing daily now. The only plan is the adoption of a system which will enable good men to represent us, without being compelled to go through forms in which a blackguard or a scoundrel stands the best chance of success.

Radical Reformers.

The opposition party contains so many of these gentlemen, that occasionally it is instructive to watch their proceedings. Prominent among them in this State is Deacon White, a member of the House from Allegheny. His speeches read well, but his votes do not correspond. Men who introduce unconstitutional bills and advocate the exemption of rail road bonds from taxation are not such reformers as our people demand. The same may be said of Williams from Luzerne, a member of the W. B. A., who has voted for every corporation measure proposed this winter. Grant was elected as a "reformer;" but the fact is now patent that a more corrupt administration never disgraced Washington. Not only the Chief, but the subordinates are prostituting their positions for power and for money.

Last fall, the Republicans of New York affected horror at the Tammany frauds, shutting their eyes to those that existed in their own ranks. The leading Democrats of the State set at work at once to expose them and punish the guilty, and are doing so without fear or favor. They even aided the Republicans in carrying the Legislature, in the hope that it would prove non-partisan; but like all Radical Legislatures, it is found to be as corrupt as its predecessors. Speaking of it, the New York *Tribune* says:

But if, instead of this, we have a werk and corruptible Legislature—if it is composed in good part of men who have achieved nominations and elections with intent to make money—the session will not only prove a failure in itself, but will swamp the party which the people will justly hold responsible for its miscarriage.

What sort of a Legislature have we really elected?

It may be too soon yet to judge, but the indications are unpromising. They justify a belief that a good many members imagine they were chosen to make as much noise as possible about Democratic frauds, but roar you gently as a sucking dove when the presumptive rascals are Republicans.

We would suggest to our opponents, that hereafter before they make charges against us, they should first see that their own skirts are clear.

LEGISLATURE.

Nothing of interest was done in the Senate on Wednesday of last week.

HOUSE.—The private calender was the order of the day.

At half past eleven the Senate met the House and counted the returns of the late election for auditor general, and surveyor general, and on the constitutional convention. The figures stood:

For Auditor General—Stanton, 284,097, McCandless, 269,512; Spangler, 3,132.

For Surveyor General—Heath, 287,045; Cooper, 266,735; Wheeler, 2,969.

Constitutional Convention—For, 316,097; against, 69,715.

In the Senate, on Thursday of last week, the following bills were reported.

With a negative recommendation, an act to provide offices for County Superintendents.

With amendments, an act fixing the salaries of County Superintendents.

With amendments, a supplement to an act providing for the due training of common school teachers.

The following bills were introduced:

Mr. Dill read an act relative to executors and administrators, extending the act of 1834 to lunatics and habitual drunkards. Also, an act for the relief of certain Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and District Courts.

An act relating to legal advertising in the several counties in this Commonwealth, was called up by Mr. Petriken, considered in Committee of the Whole, after which Mr. White moved to postpone indefinitely.

Mr. Buckalew hoped the bill would receive proper treatment, as it had been presented in a proper manner at the instance of the printers of the Commonwealth. He was in favor of the bill, because it gave the minority the benefit of public information. There ought to be a uniform rule governing official advertising; and this plan of giving it to the paper of each party having the highest circulation, seemed the best that could be adopted. The bill will prevent abuses that now exist, and the only disadvantage will be to small newspapers.

The motion was modified to postpone for the present.

Mr. Evans said this patronage was generally in the hands of competent officers, and he did not think the bill would work to the advantage of either the newspapers or the public. After further discussion the bill was postponed for the present. Yeas 16, nays 12.

The first bill passed allows boroughs to lay out streets fifty feet wide.

The act increasing the number of Judges of the Supreme Court to seven, was discussed and postponed.

The bill allowing the Governor to appoint three members on the Board of Trustees for each Normal School, was amended to two, and to apply only to those districts which accept its provisions. Passed.

Just before five o'clock, the Secretary of the Commonwealth presented the return of the election in the Fourth Senatorial District, and certificate of Harry W. Gray. The new Senator appeared, and was at once sworn in, just in time to record his vote in favor of the indefinite postponement of the Druggists' bill.

In the House a bill authorizing assignees of insurance policies to sue in their own name passed.

House supplement relating to the State Treasurer and Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, providing that the Sinking Fund Commissioners shall, annually, commencing 1873, notify by circulars State and National banks that on the second Monday of April they will receive and open, in the presence of the Governor, proposals for becoming depositors of State funds, the deposits to be given to those offering the greatest interest, they to pay on demand, no bank to have on hand more than half the amount of its bonds to the State. They shall make monthly reports to the Auditor-General, verified by the State Treasurer, or on oath of the President or Cashier, the State Treasurer to report monthly to the Auditor-General. The bill passed yeas 62, nays 30.

Mr. Brockway reported as commited an act to relieve workingmen from the operation of the conspiracy laws.

Also, he read in place a bill to prevent swine from running at large in Benton and Fishingcreek Townships, and in Light Street.

In the Senate on Friday last, the following bills were reported from committees as committed: An act relative to libel, allowing the truth to be given in evidence.

Mr. Davis, of Philadelphia, reported from the Committee on Railroads an act requiring corporations appropriating property for corporate purposes to pay for the same, and providing the mode of assessment thereon.

In the House among the bills reported were Senate bill authorizing the reform system of voting in the election of School Directors, as committed;

Mr. Berkholder—For the better protection of the wages of mechanics, miners and laborers, giving employees of companies, &c., a preferred lien of not more than $200 of wages due at insolveney of employers.

Nothing of importance took place in the Senate on Monday.

In the House a petition from Luzerne county for a prohibitory liquor law was presented.

Mr. White offered the following:

Resolved, That the committee on vice and immorality be discharged from the consideration of bill, entitled an act to prohibit the granting of any license to sell intoxicating liquors in any city, borough or township, unless a majority of the voters in said city, borough or township shall vote in favor of said license, and that said bill be placed on the public calender for next Thursday.

He stated that this bill had been in committee now over ten days.

The resolution was lost—yeas 27, nays 47. A resolution to print 5000 additional copies of Bates History was referred to the ways and means committee.

In the Senate on Tuesday Mr. Buckalew read in place and presented to the chair, bill intitled an act to incorporate the Sullivan anthracite coal company.

A supplement to an act for the better and more impartial selection of persons to serve as jurors was passed.

In the House Mr. White, from the committee on constitutional reform, reported affirmatively, with amendments, the bill to provide for the calling of a convention for amending the constitution, and 1,000 copies were ordered to be printed for the use of the house. The amendments provide for the election on the 14th of May, the convention to meet on the second Tuesday of June. The number of members is fixed at ninety-nine, sixty-six to be elected as state senators are elected, two for each senator, and thirty-three to be elected at large, each elector to vote for eighteen, no person to cast more than one vote for each person. One-third of the members may require any amendment to be submitted to the people separately. Pay for the whole term, one thousand dollars, with mileage.

House bill divorcing Mathias Kindt and Tamar, his wife, of Columbia county, was submitted by Mr. Brockway, and was opposed by Messrs. M'Junkin, Hewitt, Gilfillan and Hancock. It was finally defeated—yeas 35, nays 51.

CONGRESS.

In the U. S. Senate on Wednesday of last week the Amnesty bill was again discussed, but without definite action. A bill was introduced establishing a national shipping registry.——In the House, the bill justifying Secretary Boutwell in his negotiations with the Syndicate was debated.

The United States Senate on Thursday of last week debated the resolution calling for a reconsideration of the vote on the Chicago Relief bill until the end of the morning hour, and the Amnesty bill from that time until the adjournment.

The House of Representatives, by a strict party vote, passed the resolution whitewashing Secretary Boutwell's illegal syndicate bargain, and disposed of thirty pages of the Indian Appropriation bill.

The United States Senate was not in session Friday. In the House, the Indian Appropriation bill was passed. A bill appropriating $65,000 to pay for the destruction of William and Mary Virgina, was reported and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the private calender. Various patent bills were passed. The Educational Fund bill was considered, but not disposed of.

In the Senate on Monday the Amnesty bill was taken up, and a motion made to lay the pending bill on the table and take up the bill passed by the House, which was lost. Mr. Carpenter then offered a substitute to Mr. Summer's amendment, which elicited a sharp debate between the two gentlemen.

In the House, after the introduction of new bills, the amnesty question came up in the shape of a bill removing political disabilities from many who were small officials in towns, villages, and counties at the beginning of the war, which after a little debate was passed. Mr. Banks, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported a bill to carry into effect the provisions of the treaty with Great Britan relating to the fisheries, and its consideration was assigned for the third Tuesday in March.

NEWS.

The public debt of the United States has been reduced during the past month $5,663,461.

Gen. M. W. Ransom has been elected United States Senator by the Legislature of North Carolina. The Republican members generally took no part in the election, holding that the Legislature has no right to choose a Senator at this time.

The body of Richard A. Cook, who has been missing since January 1, was found in Roaring Brook, Feb. 1 in Scranton. There is reason to believe that he met with foul play.

Dr. James S. Carpenter, of Pottsville, died on the 31st, after a protracted illness He was President of the Pennsylvania State Medical Society of 1855, and much honored in his profession.

Professor Wilson, principal of the Union School, at Washington, Pa., was shot and dangerously wounded Thursday of last week by Thomas McGiffen. The professor had refused to deliver a note from McGiffen to one of the young ladies, and on being ordered from the premises McGiffen shot him, the ball entering above the hip. McGiffen is but 17 years of age.

A frightful accident occurred on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, near Rockport, Thursday morning. By the displacement of a rail the Buffalo express train was thrown some thirty feet down an embankment. The cars were smashed and caught fire from the stove. Four passengers were instantly killed, and four others have since died from the effects of their injuries. Eighteen others were more or less injured.

Among the killed was the wife of Professor Lewis Pratorius, of Wilkesbarre. Judge Dana, of Wilkesbarre had his arm and shoulder broken.

The following is a list of the injured: Hon. E. L. Dana, Sheriff Whitaker, Miss Troxell, Miss Spayd, of Wilkesbarre; George Broder, and a man name i Wolf, of White Haven; John Cox, of Bethlehem; Conductor Seigfried, and brakeman, name unknown. Miss Troxell and Messrs. Broder, Wolf, Cox, and the conductor are considered seriously injured.

The Corner's jury returned a verdict that the deceased passengers came to their deaths by an unavoidable and unforeseen accident, caused by the breaking of a rail.

Five gunpowder mills, situated on the Little Miami Railroad, exploded Monday, killing six men.

A terrible accident occurred on the Philadelphia and Erie R. R. on Monday night of last week three miles east of Lock Haven, which resulted in injuries to nearly thirty passengers and the destruction of four cars. A broken rail precipitated the cars down an embankment of twenty feet to the water's edge when they took fire and were entirely consumed.

The Senate Investigating Committee into the New York Custom House frauds have decided to adjourn to morrow, both Democratic Senators on the Committee voting nay. Enough has been discovered, however, to prove the utterly rotten condition of the Custom House management.

The Pass Book System.

The following important bill was introduced in the Senate by Mr. Petriken on Thursday of last week:

An act to secure the payment of the wages of labor in lawful money and to prohibit the pass or order system.

SECTION 1. That it shall not be lawful for any incorporated company, association, partnership or individual engaged in mining, manufacturing or transporting any coal, iron, or other manufacture or product, to pay the wages of any employee or laborer, who may be hired or employed by him or them, in anything but lawful money, and any contract which shall be made by any such incorporated body, partnership, or individual, to pay any laborer or employee in anything but lawful money is hereby declared void, any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

SEC. 2. That no incorporated body, association, partnership or individual engaged in mining manufacturing or transporting as aforesaid, or any officer, manager, superintendent, or agent in his or their employ, shall make, furnish, deliver, issue, or cause to be made, furnished, delivered or issued, to be used as a substitute for lawful money, or as a means of paying any employee or laborer, any pass book, order, ticket or engagement of credit, or any other device to evade the payment of the wages of labor in lawful money, under a penalty fifty dollars for each and every of fence, to be recoverable in the name or names of and by the person or persons suing for the same before any alderman or justice of the peace of this Commonwealth as debts under one hundred dollars are now by law recoverable; and in addition thereto any person or persons so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, and suffer an imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court.

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The subscriber will offer for sale at his residence in Catawissa township on

SATURDAY, MARCH 2D, 1872,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following personal property to wit:

TWO FINE HORSES,

one yearling colt, five milch cows, one two-year old bull, three head of young cattle, three head sheep, a market by fine, nine shoats, harrows, plows, cultivators, sleds, splendid new two horse wagon, spring wagon, top buggy, harness double and single, fanning mill, and other farming implements.

SEVEN SWARMS OF BEES,

Also a lot of furniture. Terms made known on day of sale. JOHN SCOTT.

Catawissa township, Feb. 1872. feb9 72-it

NEW DRUG STORE.

CHRIS. A. KLEIM

Having purchased the business of F. P. Lutz, now offers at the old stand, a choice assortment

DRUGS

CHEMICALS,

PATENT MEDICINES,

TOILET ARTICLES,

FANCY SOAPS,

BRUSHES, &c., &c.

And a general assortment of the choicest goods usually found in first class establishments.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS AND FAMILY RECIPES CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

On Sundays, open from 8 a. m., to 10 a. m., and from 2 p. m., to 4 p. m.

GERMAN AND ENGLISH SPOKEN.

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GREENWOOD SEMINARY,
AT MILLVILLE, COL. CO., PA.

The Spring Term will commence on **Monday, April 1st, 1872.** Vacation from the middle of June, to the 8th of August, when the Fall Term will open. Eleven weeks make a quarter.

For Circulars, Boarding, Terms, Tuition or other particulars, address

WM. BURGESS, Principal.

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STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

From January 1, 1871 to January 1, 1872.

DAVID LOWENBERG, Esq., Treasurer of Columbia county, in account with said county, for county purposes, for 1871.

1871.		
Jan.	To am't outstanding for 1870 &c.	$11,091 89
"	" " per auditors report of '70	837 85
June	" " county tax ass'd. for '71	22,627 33

TO TAX ON SEATED AND UNSEATED LAND RETURNED.

Names.	Districts.	County.	School.	Road.	Poor.	Boro.	Bounty.
M. Downs,	Beaver	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....
J. Harriger,	"	50	80	1.90	80	.....	.....
A. Colley,	Benton	3.01	2.60	.....	1.09	.....	.....
J. Hine,	Centralia	1.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F. Witchey,	"	55	1.54	.....	1.10	55	55
C. Dougherty,	Conyngham	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M. C. & I. Co.	"	18.33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
D. Lenihan,	"	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
F. McManamon	"	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
G. & J. Boyer,	Locust	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
H. B. Angle,	Mifflin	14	11	.15	7	.....	.....
D. Heinbach,	Montour	55	62	.....	90	.....	.....
L. Simons	Pine	20	60	.....	40	.....	.....
W. Witchey,	R. Creek	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. Watts,	S. Mahoning	1.56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		$9.48	6.27	1.15	3.64	55	55

Making a total of $11 64

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

To interest and cost, Jacob Bechtel, Collector Madison, 1869.	$21 48
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek	43 00
" J. R. Moyer, webbing sold him.	50
" O. H. P. Kitchen, P. O. Berwick for keeping David Snyder in County Jail.	58 50
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek.	42 38
" N. Miller, additional Tax, Main, 1870.	1 45
" Wm. Neal, webbing sold him.	75
" Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek.	39 10
" " " "	42 25
" Philip Kramer, chandelier sold (old one)	15 00
" Sam'l Rhone, old plank, Benton bridge.	3 00
" J. R. Yohe, old plank from Yohe bridge Mifflin.	1 00
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek.	44 05
" W. H. Ent's "Estate" jury fees.	36 00
" Timothy Thomas, cost due county, com. case 9 bls.	7 78
To J. K. Sharpless, old plank.	1 60
" Jas. McCormick, cost due county, com. case of bls.	5 90
To John Culp, 974 ft. plank from Shaffer's bridge.	7 79
To Samuel Shaffer, plank from Shaffer's bridge.	1 80
To am't. for assessing dog tax and for blanks.	100 00
To am't for assessing militia fine and managing fund,	100 00
To John in excess of state quota.	24 40
" Johnson Beasly tract Conyngham.	234 41
" Thomas Hittshimer tract Conyngham.	234 41
" Amos Weckersham "	151 57
" From Registered Taxes.	6 25

MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS.

Paid C. G. Barkley, Teachers' County Institute, 1871.	89 29
Paid C. S. Furman, 28 straps for files prothonotory's office.	5 70
Paid Sharpless & Harman, 2 gals. varnish Court House fence.	4 00
Paid H. C. Hower, bill rendered.	16 47
" Chas. Forster hauling coal ashes &c. from Court House.	1 00
Paid Lycoming Insurance Co., Insurance on Court House and Jail.	174 02
Paid N. J. Hendershott, glass &c. law library.	11 73
Paid Freeze and Buckalew, in tax cases, Conyngham,	50 00
Paid Lewi Cortright et. al. work state road B. Creek.	230 75
Paid W. H. Ent, Prothonotory bill for cost and fees.	64 15
Paid Wm. M. Quick, bumping stone Court House alley.	4 50
	$651 61

COURTS, JURORS' PAY, CONSTABLES' RETURN TO SESSIONS.

Paid Jurors during the year.	$2,453 14
" Constables' returns to sessions.	284 81
" Tip staves and court crier.	240 95
" Fireman L. E. Werts, Feb. term.	20 25
" " C. R. Hess'l, Dec. term.	18 00
" Jury commissioners expenses.	71 52
" Aaron Smith, Sheriff, serving Jury notices.	115 20
	$3,229 69

COSTS IN COMMONWEALTH CASES

Paid Com. vs. Creasy and Shaffer,	$ 13 78
" " John T. Herbert,	23 10
" " Richard Palmer,	24 74
" " William Strausser	38 85
" " Calvin Jones,	28 32
" " —— Brady	6 40
" " Mary M'Mahon	10 65
" " John Gumming	9 52
" " Ebeny Cook	6 99
" " A. W. Eaton	84 67
" " J. M. Mason	2 75
" " John and H. P. Grett,	12 18
" " Thomas M'Graw et. al.	10 00
" " Patrick Gara	41 18
" " Lewis Kantner	8 70
" " A. G. Rabb	7 85
" " Walk r and Hagenbuch	48 29
" " Silas Powell	19 48
" " Pierce White	25 26
" " Cadman & Tingley	6 70
" " Michael M'Mahon	3 2
" " Sarah Shively	2 20
" " Cadman & Girton	4 17
" " George Snyder	21 65
	$463 44

ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWERS AND ROAD DAMAGES.

Paid Thos. Davis, Benton, township,	$ 10 00
" Michael Watts, Briarcreek "	50 00
" Gideon Michael, Briarcreek "	100 00
" Henry Doak, "	225 00
" Wm. DeLaney, Orange "	5 00
" Zebulon Robbins, Hemlock "	175 00
" Elizabeth Widman, "	100 00
" Abraham Hartman, Benton "	15 00
" J. F. Hahn, Catawissa "	250 00
" George Hughes "	450 00
" E. Dreisbeibs, Mt. Pleasant "	65 00
" J. K. Sharpless, Bloom "	3,50 00
" John Wanich Mt Pleasant "	90 00
" Reuben Wilson, Madison "	135 00
" J. H. Vandersice, Mt. Pleasant "	75 00
" Wm. McKelvy, Bloom "	25 00
" Wm. Ikeler, Fishingcreek "	20 00
" O. A. Jacoby, Bloom "	1000 00
" Sundry persons road & bridge views	177 00
	$9,457 00

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE.

Paid County Auditors	$ 74 00
" M. F. Everly auditor on public accounts	81 00
" William G. Quick, Commissioner	194 00
" " " Expenses holding appeals	21 00
Paid Cyrus Robbins, Commissioner	231 00
" " " Expenses holding appeals	25 00
Paid H. J. Reeder, Commissioner	202 00
" " " Expenses holding appeals	55 00
Paid William Shaffer, Commissioner	31 00
" Wm. Krickbaum, Clerk	650 00
" Wm. Murphy's sons, Com's. Seal &c.	11 85
" J. H. Malze, ½ doz. brooms, Court House	1 80
" Isaiah Hagenbuch, repairing, paint and painting Court House troughs	9 75
Paid C. W. Neal, coal	91 46
" C. & M. Moyer, painting, &c., window blinds, Court Room	50 00
Paid Thomas Geddis, repairs Proth'y. office	5 50
" Robbins & Taylor two vault windows, Prothonotarys' Office	85 00
Paid Peter Jones, et. al. bill work and material, Prothonotarys' Office &c.	55 61
Paid Isaiah Hagenbuch, repairing stoves, Court House	9 85
Paid Joseph Decker, work at Court House yard and Jail.	6 00
Paid Samuel Neyhard, taking level Court House cellar,	1 50
Paid A. M. Rupert, stove repair	3 25
" A. D. Webb, webbing, &c., window blinds	3 50
" S. H. Miller & Son, lamps, oil, &c., Court Room and house.	31 65
Paid J. G. Freeze, Att'y., to Commissioners	75 00
" Mrs. E. Overdorf, et. al. cleaning Court House.	20 00
	$2,163 82

COUNTY JAIL AND PRISON REQUISITIONS.

Paid Abraham Snyder, pump repair, Jail	$ 4 00
" Peter Jones, repairs about jail.	8 65
" Hendershott & Mason, coal.	10 00
" George B. Groul, et. al., bill repair and material.	45 56

" Redemption of W. H. Reimbold lots, Conyngham, 8 61

Grand total $15,787 90

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DAVID LOWENBERG, Esq., TREASURER OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

By amount outstanding taxes and commissions and exonerations allowed collectors during the year.

	1871. Co. due.	1871. Co. com.	1871. Co. ex.	1870. Co. com.	1870. Co. ex.
Beaver				28 00	15 19
Benton	389 28		8 24	29 03	15 24
Berwick		28 50	11 33	32 76	25 50
Bloom	870 85			219 27	44 17
B. Creek	587 52			52 06	3 74
Catawissa		67 91	39 98		
Centralia	250 55			30 71	60 54
Centre	338 01			71 31	21 04
Conyngham	389 18		77 69	94 48	160 51
F. Creek	422 55		3 02	46 95	5 18
Franklin		23 74	2 64	27 98	15 08
G. Wood	410 70			49 13	15 77
Hemlock	181 13		52 81	45 72	21 72
Jackson		11 54	14 55		
Catawissa				48 45	23 93
Locust	242 50			46 55	11 22
Madison	164 52		9 14	28 19	8 75
Main	198 85		2 16	50 76	5 34
Mifflin	459 67		99	39 48	5 18
Mt. Pleasant	144 73			29 25	13 83
Montour	125 61			21 53	9 27
Orange	370 10		4 25	13 19	9 04
Pine		15 61	4 28		
R. Creek	149 71		2 52		
Scott	614 52		9 32	76 42	18 92
S. Loal	225 87			11 23	3 39
	$6,730 54	$182 49	$242 15	$1,103 50	$514 13

The following is amount due for 1869 and previous years, to wit:

1869

Centralia township county due, $121.42.

The following is commission and exoneration allowed for 1869 and previous years:

1869.

	Co. com's.	Co. exon's.
Franklin,	$54 38	$ 2 66
Benton,	37 00	13 09
Hemlock,	51 58	19 82
1868.		
Conyngham,	83 79	117 82
1866.		
Madison,	34 27	5 73
Totals due	$261 02	$159 12
	$121 42	$241 00

RECAPITULATION.

	Co. due.	Co. com.	Co. ex.
1871.	$6,730 54	$ 182 49	$242 15
1870.		1,103 50	514 13
1869 &c.	121 42	241 00	159 45
	$6,851 94	$1,526 99	$915 73

By am't tax outstanding in all,	$6,851 94
" " commission allowed in all,	1,526 99
" " exonerations " " "	915 74
" " county orders redeemed, of 1871,	22,878 50
" " " " " 1870,	26 00
" " " " " 1869,	4 00
" " " " " 1868,	1 00
" county orders redeemed previous to then.	3 00
By am't Treas. commission on ($22,677 73)	907 11
" " balance due and paid over.	2,073 61
	$35,787 90

DAVID LOWENBERG, TREAS., OF COLUMBIA COUNTY IN ACCT. WITH DOG TAX FOR 1871.

DR.

To am't outstanding at settlement.	$ 477 28
" " assessed for 1871.	1,516 50
" " due Treasurer.	429 21
	$2,422 99

CR.

	1871. Dog due.	1871. Dog com.	1870. Dog ex.	1870. Dog com.	1870. Dog ex.
Beaver	$ 19 50	$ 3 18	$ 6 50	$ 2 78	$ 9 50
Benton		10	1 00	2 97	
Berwick	23 00			5 70	5 70
Bloom	23 00			5 70	5 70
B. Creek	23 30	3 45	5 70	3 30	1 50
Catawissa	24 00			55	15 00
Centre	6 00			3 07	4 50
Conyngham	4 00		11 50	47	12 00
F. Creek	28 07		2 50	3 95	2 00
Franklin		2 20	5 00	1 90	4 00
G. Wood	54 50				
Hemlock	18 50		2 00	3 10	2 50
Jackson		2 50	50		
Locust	53 00			5 42	6 50
Madison		3 03	4 00		
Main	12 00		2 00		
Mifflin		3 73	1 50	3 78	3 50
Mt. Pleasant	31 00			2 50	2 00
Montour	20 50			2 02	6 00
Orange	30 00		1 50	2 25	6 45
Pine		2 18	3 00	1 80	4 50
R. Creek		1 95	1 00		
Scott	16 00		3 00		
S. Loal	21 50			2 75	3 50
	$407 09	$22 92	$49 50	$48 31	$86 05

AMOUNT DUE OF 1869.

Centralia	$8 00

Commission and exonerations allowed for 1869 and previous years to wit:

1869.

	Com.	Ex.
Hemlock,	1 95	7 50
1868.		
Conyngham,	1 53	8 50
	$3 48	$16 00

RECAPITULATION.

	Dog due.	Com.	Ex.
1871.	407 09	22 92	49 50
1870.		48 31	86 05
1868-69.	8 00	3 48	16 00
	$415 09	$74 71	$151 50

By am't tax outstanding.	$415 09
" due Treas. by auditors report '70.	193 51
" orders of 1871 redeemed.	571 00
" " " 1870 "	252 40
" " " 1869 "	94 00
" commission allowed collectors.	74 71
" exonerations " "	151 50
" paid assessors, blanks &c.	100 00
" Treasurer's commission.	70 87
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THE COLUMBIAN.

Bloomsburg, Friday, Feb. 9, 1872.

FRANK COOLEY,
ASSISTANT EDITOR.

Railroad Time Table.

LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG R. R.

	North.	South.
Mail	10:51 A. M.	6:18 P. M.
Accommodation	4:45 A. M.	10:50 P. M.
Express	6:58 P. M.	9:37 A. M.

CATAWISSA R. R. FROM RUPERT STATION.

Going North.	Going South.
4:08 P. M.	11:11 A. M.

LOCAL.

THE Bloomingdale Lodge of Good Templars propose holding a grand festival at an early day.

THE members of the Methodist Church of Benton, recently held a festival to raise funds for the purchase of a new bell for the Church. The net proceeds amounted to about $65.

WE learn that conductor Perkins of the L. & B. R. R., has been discharged. Conductor Hughes has taken the trains of Mr. Perkins. Mr. Byron Poland takes Mr. Hughes' trains.

TEMPERATURE of January, 1872, at Bloomsburg, Pa., result of three daily observations. Maximum 50° on the 12th, at 2 p. m. Minimum 2° below zero on the 31st, at 7 a. m. Mean of the month 33½°. H. Z.

Pennsylvania has more post offices than any other State in the Union. The number of post offices in Pennsylvania is 2,893, and in New York, 2,690. The whole army of postmasters in the United States amount to 30,045.

MISS IDA BARLOW, the new music teacher of the Normal School, has entered upon her duties. The newspapers of Pittston are unanimous in their testimony as to her abilities and popularity. She will doubtless prove a valuable member of the faculty.

WE would call attention to the advertisement of Chris, A. Kleim, to be found in another column. Mr. Kleim is well known to the people of the county and will doubtless receive a fair share of the trade, which his politeness and energy deserve.

THE State Senate on Friday last elected a new set of officers. Among those retiring was Mordecai Millard, heretofore door-keeper. Mr. Millard will now be enabled to devote himself to the interests of the Normal School of which he is Steward.

John M. Clark and B. Frank Zarr were, on motion of M. E. Jackson, Esq., admitted to practice at the bar of Columbia county, on Tuesday morning. Both gentleman passed an examination extremely creditable to themselves and to their legal instructor, John G. Freeze, Esq.

THE long delayed snow storm came at last, on Friday night and snow fell to the depth of five or six inches. The sleighing, however, was poor, the snow not packing well. The trains were delayed on Saturday the mails not reaching this place until two hours after the usual time.

PERSONS having Deeds and Mortgages lying in the Recorder's Office are requested to call and take them away. W. H. JACOBY,
Bloomsburg, Feb. 2, '72-2t. Recorder.

The black crust which forms upon lampwicks should be removed before relighting, for purposes of economy as well as of neatness. If it is allowed to remain a larger portion of the oil is evaporated without combustion, and consequently wasted, than if the lamp is properly trimmed.

GIDEON BEISHLINE who was arrested for horse stealing some six months since and who subsequently escaped from the county jail where he was confined was recaptured on Thursday night of last week, by Sheriff Smith and Chief of Police Geddis, at his brother's house near Cambra and returned to his old quarters.

WE have been shown a broken tine of a pitch-fork, over three inches in length, which was imbedded in the hoof of Mr. William Eyerly's horse, for sixteen weeks. The wound festered and the tine worked its way out, and the whole frog of the hoof came off with it. The horse is doing well and shows no sign of being injured.

SOMEBODY has discovered a good thing in small pox. An insane man caught the disease and on his recovery, found himself restored to his senses. If this be true, Danville might as well turn its prospective Insane Asylum into a small pox hospital and turn out sane men instead of keeping lunatics for indefinite periods. It would be a "kill or cure" institution.

WE do not believe that the peaceful slumbers of many of our readers will be disturbed by the knowledge of the existence of a new counterfeit $50 greenback, but such a counterfeit has made its appearance. It is said that it can be readily detected, but so long a time has elapsed since we have seen one of any description, good or bad, that we greatly doubt our ability to do so.

THE members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of this place have instituted a Mite Society, the contributions of which are to be devoted to the pointing of the stone work of the new church. The first meeting of the society took place at the Rectory on Thursday of last week and the second last Wednesday evening. There was a very good attendance, and the satisfaction expressed was general,

RECORDING DEEDS.—Many persons are very careless about having deeds recorded, because they consider it of no use. But an instance, showing the importance of recording deeds within six months from the date of their execution, has just occurred in Delaware county, which may serve to give purchasers a different idea upon the subject. A property was purchased by one brother from another, and the money paid in monthly instalments. In the mean time the seller failed, and the deed of the purchase not being on record, the property was seized by the Sheriff, and the probabilities now are that the rightful owner will lose it.

PHILIP CRAWFORD was arrested on Friday last by Constable Woodward, for indecent behavior on the street. He was taken before Mr. Mendenhall, President of the Town Council, who fined him $5 and costs. This is not the first time that Crawford has committed this offence, and it is to be hoped that it will teach him a lesson.

OUR old friend A. B. Swisher, writes us from Illinois that the winter has been exceedingly cold, but with little snow. The ground froze solid on the 19th of November, and still remains in that condition. Corn and oats, in his neighborhood, of the best kind are worth 20 cents per bushel. Mr. Swisher raised, on eight acres, 800 bushels of shelled corn the past season, equal to 1600 bushels of ears. This is a little ahead of Columbia county productiveness.

MR. O. B. MELLICK of Light Street, met with a serious accident whilst driving near that town on Thursday last. He was going slowly up a hill when he met three men, all under the influence of liquor, driving at a furious rate of speed. Mr. Mellick gave them as much of the road as possible, but they couldn't or wouldn't avoid a collision, and the result was that his buggy was badly broken and he was thrown violently to the ground substaining severe bruises on the head and back.

A NOTABLE HOUR.—The sixty minutes between 11 and 12 o'clock on the night of December 31, 1870, were memorable as the last hour of the last day of the last week of the last month of the last year of the decade. Such a coincidence will not occur again in over eighty years.

We find the above unmitigated nonsense going the rounds of our exchanges and have read it until patience has ceased to be a virtue. We would simply say that a decade is ten years, and that the remarkable event noticed above occurs every ten years. The man who wrote the article had been sitting up with a sick friend, or some other late-at-night amusement.

Malicious persons have found a new method of gratifying their spleen by spreading reports of the existence of small pox in different towns, where no cases have been known. The injury to a place by the circulation of such falsehoods must be great, as it can hardly be expected that business men will run the risk of exposure to so dangerous a disease if possible to avoid it. The originators of such stories should be hunted up and punished as severely as the law permits.

The town council of Clearfield having a wholesome dread of small pox before their eyes, recently passed a resolution forbidding an excursion party to go to Altoona where the disease exists and furthermore "resolooted" that if said party did go they should not return to Clearfield. Of course the party wilted.

THE "lobbyists" who attend legislative bodies are a shrewd set and their ways are devious in carrying their points. As a matter of information, and illustrative of their ingenuity we append the following story which occurred in an Eastern State but which might do equally well for our own, if the necessity for similar action should exist. "A gentleman who had been a member of the Legislature for a number of years, was talking to the principal 'lobbyist' at the State House a short time since and said to him, 'Well, Mr. ——, you never got around me when you wanted to carry through any of your schemes.' 'Oh, yes,' replied the other; 'I always got some honest old farmer to take a seat next to yours, and tell you that his particular friends in the country wished it done, that it would be a great benefit to their towns, and you always voted just as I wanted you to.'"

VISITORS to Harrisburg and members of the Legislature whose high sense of duty compels them to remain there, have alike been victims of a mild system of poisoning superinduced by the filthy condition of the water. The reservoir was cleaned out recently and was found to contain a choice assortment of dead babies, dogs and cats, besides a miscellaneous collection of odds and ends of a like savory and healthy description. Mr. Buckalew was sick on his return from Harrisburg last week as was also Mr. Millard, the ex-door keeper of the Senate. Some of the members are so unwell as to be confined to their homes. The matter deserves prompt and sufficient attention or death may ensue.

Legislators are reduced to the choice of leaving town or drinking whiskey. This is indeed bad. The interests of their constituents will not allow them to depart and so they stay, absorbing the unwholesome whiskey and smoking the cheerless cigar, in order that we in our comfortable homes, may have good laws, &c. We know of several communities that would doubtless rejoice if their representatives could be kept on a steady diet of Harrisburg water for an unlimited period, but it is hard that those who are of real value to the State should be "shuffled off this mortal coil" by so un-legislative a drink as cold water.

IT may not be generally known that there is quite a town growing up in Beaver township under the excitement caused by the discovery of coal. The place was originally called Georgetown but a letter lately received from a correspondent mentions a change in this among other particulars. He says:

"As there are one or two places in Pennsylvania of the name of Georgetown, we have concluded to give to the city in embryo, the name of Glen Carbon.

Within three months the whole town as originally laid out has been sold. Mr. J. Losee has struck a fine vein of coal; breaker- &c., are completed and he is only awaiting the completion of a side-track, which is rapidly building from the D. H. & W. R. R., to deliver the black diamonds. This Losee mine is only five hundred feet from First Street. One mile from this mine, the Philadelphia Coal and Iron Co., have shafted and found fine veins of coal, and will commence mining at once. In the Nescopeck Mountain, a vein of black band-iron ore has been discovered and a plan for the erection of blast-furnaces is in contemplation.

It is my opinion and it is sustained by several, that one hundred buildings will be in course of erection by next June; one store will be started next week and a petition for the establishment of a post office is circulating."

Court Proceedings.

FIRST WEEK.

The general February Term of Columbia county Courts convened on Monday, February 5th, inst. His Honor William Elwell, President Judge, and Iram Derr and Isaac S. Monroe, Associates, on the Bench. The respective constables of the county were sworn and made their returns. I. W. Hartman, Esq., of Bloomsburg, was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury.

The Court appointed John K. Girton, Jacob S. Evans and Wm. A. Kile, tipstaves for the first week of Court.

Petition of Frank P. Harris for the appointment of guardian; John Appleman chosen and approved by the Court.

Petition of Daniel, Charles and Mary Harris for guardian; John Appleman appointed.

Rule granted on motion of M. E. Jackson on the heirs of Abraham Hess, deceased, to appear at next term and accept or refuse the real estate at the valuation or show cause why the same should not be sold. Notice to be given by publication.

Hugh W. Hittle presented a petition asking the Court to be allowed to choose a guardian; he selected John Appleman who was approved by the Court.

The petition of Clarence and Wm. H. Shoemaker for guardian; Evans G. Shoemaker appointed.

The report of John G. Freeze, Esq., auditor to distribute the funds arising from the sale of the property of John K. Girton, confirmed *nisi*.

In the estate of Andrew Larish deceased, on motion of O. B. Mellick, W. Wirt appointed auditor to make distribution of funds in the hands of the executor.

The report of Robert F. Clark, Esq., auditor to make distribution in the estate of Peter K. Herbine, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

The report of C. W. Miller, Esq., auditor to make distribution in the estate of James Grimes, confirmed, *nisi*.

The report of C. W. Miller, Esq., auditor to make distribution in the estate of Abraham Mussleman, confirmed *nisi*.

The report of C. G. Barkley, Esq., auditor to make distribution of the balance in the hands of H. R. Kline administrator of George Kline, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of John Hicks, administrator of the estate of Thomas Hughes, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of Michael Lamon, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale by the guardian of the minor children of Josiah J. Thomas of their real estate, confirmed *nisi*.

Petition of Frederick Wichey for the specific performance of contract in the estate of Henry Eyerly, deceased. Citation awarded upon the administrator.

In the estate of Jacob Kostenbauder report of sale, confirmed *nisi*.

Com. vs. Catharine Womer, indicted for assault. A jury was ordered and returned a verdict the same day finding the defendant not guilty and that the costs be equally divided between the prosecutor and the defendant.

Petition of citizens of Sugarloaf twp., for changing the place of holding the election from Alinas Cole's where it is now held, to the house of Cyrus Larish. An election was ordered upon the question of removal at the time of holding the township election in March, next, notice to be given according to law.

Report of sale of the real estate of James Hess, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of the minor children of John Thomas by their guardian, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of Daniel Houck, deceased, by the executor William Lee, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of George Rupp, deceased, sold by Michael Stine as trustee, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale by Lewis Yetter guardian of Julia Clark of her interest, confirmed *nisi*.

The petition of Mary Jane Troy for guardian; Allen Mann appointed.

The petition of Sarah M. Gearhart for guardian; Allen Mann appointed.

Report of sale of the real estate of John Mircle, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

The petition of Mary Alice Gearhart praying for the appointment of a guardian; C. B. Troy appointed.

Report of sale of real estate of John Richards, deceased, by S. B. Deimer, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of Balser Essick, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Order of sale granted for the sale of the homestead of Jacob Kostenbauder, deceased.

TUESDAY, FEB. 6TH.

On motion of Mr. Clark a rule was granted in the matter of damages in the extension of Fourth Street in the town of Bloomsburg to take depositions before J. J. Brower on the 7th inst.

Petition of Daniel Ashleman praying for the appointment of a guardian; John Ashman appointed.

Petition of John F. Ashleman praying for the appointment of a guardian; John Ashman appointed.

Catharine Stiner vs. Paul Stiner; petition in divorce. On motion of Mr. Thompson Court grant publication.

Report of sale of the real estate of John Miller, deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Report of sale of the real estate of John P. Smith, deceased, by J. H. Ikeler administrator continued.

Motion for sale of real estate in the estate of Peter Bitner, deceased, sale granted.

Report of viewers of a road in Centre township near the house of William Shaffer; reporting in favor of a road; confirmed *nisi*.

Com. vs. Lloyd Creasy; charge assault and battery—a true bill. A jury was ordered and they returned a verdict of guilty as indicted; the Court sentenced him to pay a fine of one dollar and costs. This was a case of corporal punishment inflicted by Mr. Creasy, a school teacher, upon one of his pupils.

Com. vs. Gideon Bishline; charge stealing a horse—a true bill. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

Com. vs. Enos Jacoby; charge selling liquor without license—a true bill.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7TH.

Com. vs. C. G. Murphy et. al.; charge embezzlement. Jury returned a verdict finding the defendants not guilty and that the costs be divided equally between the prosecutor and defendants.

Com. vs. Enos Jacoby indicted for selling liquor without license; plead guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs.

Com. vs. Joseph Lilley; charge misdemeanor in office—a true bill.

Widows appraisements were confirmed in the following estates: Peter Miller, Jacob Harris, Abraham Vanhorn, Thomas E. Hughes, R. W. Bowman, Frederick Shaffer, W. H. Ent, Moses Hartman and Ephraim Evans.

The accounts presented by the Register were confirmed *nisi*.

In the estate of John Wampole, deceased, on motion B. Frank Zarr, Esq., was appointed auditor to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator.

In the estate of Abraham Troxel, deceased, on motion of Mr. Freeze, C. G. Barkley, Esq., was appointed auditor on exceptions to the final confirmation of the account of Jacob Yeager administrator.

In the estate of Dr. Simon Cotner, deceased, on motion of Mr. Ikeler, John M. Clark, Esq., was appointed auditor to make distribution in the hands of the administrators.

In the estate of Clotworthy Fisher, deceased, on motion of Mr. Kanier, W. Wirt, Esq., was appointed auditor on exceptions to the account of S. J. Faux administrator.

Licenses were granted to the following named persons to keep Eating Houses and Hotels: F. L. Shuman, T. M. Howell, D. Cosgrove, Israel Heller, Wm. Torrey, Wm. Peiffer, Thomas Monroe, Wm. Butler, Humphrey Parker, J. P. Fry, B. Stohner, Fred. Gilmore, Hiram Hess, John Davis and A T. Ikeler.

Petition of the minor children of Robert S. Hampton, deceased, for guardian; Judah Cherrington appointed.

Receipts for January, 1872.

Thos Brader	4 00	Mrs S Keller	4 00
Jacob Sugars	3 75	Aaron Smith	2 00
Elias Bogart	2 21	F Derr	3 00
B F Peterman	8 00	S Pettit	1 60
Teachers Ass'n	7 60	J C Snyder	2 00
Sam'l Smith	85	W M Ikler	1 50
Phineas Smith	2 00	J J Hagenbuch	2 00
Mat. Kindt	2 00	M Everett	10
Hugh McBride	2 00	G W Hittle	2 00
E J McHenry	2 00	J Welliver	2 00
Mrs D Snyder	2 00	Geo H Brown	1 50
W T Shuman	2 00	J B Knittle	2 00
Dan'l Shipe	2 00	J B Fortner	3 50
S Shaffer, Jr	2 00	Geo Weaver	2 00
C H Clark	2 00	J B Kitchen	2 00
Sam'l Hartzel	2 00	A Hendershott	2 00
D B Fetterolf	2 00	E Reichard	2 00
Ezekiel Cole	2 00	E Schweppenheiser	2 00
Chas Hartman	2 00	Joshua Fritz	2 00
Est of E A Bucklew	3 00	Hiram Baker	50
H Arnhold	1 00	J W Kreamer	1 00
A Mench	2 00	J H Stecker	2 00
S Hagenbuch	2 00	J Fahringer	2 00
J M Dewitt	1 00	D Miller	1 61
S Creasy	2 00	Dr P H Shultz	3 00
Est. Eaphrim Eavns	3 00	Wm Masteller	2 00
Est. Catharine Ohl	3 00	H Zuppluger	50
Geo. E Elwell	60	M Kidder	3 00
J Maurer	2 00	Est. F Kline	3 00
Isaac Martz	3 85	S Hagenbuch	2 00
R Fahringer	8 00	Smith Bros	2 00
N Reese	4 75	Rev A Houtz	2 00
D W Armstrong	2 00	H W Tracy	6 00
James Girton	3 85	John Rees	3 50
Wm Girton	2 65	J S Evans	3 00
F P Drinker	2 00	Henry Eyer	2 00
H W Clark	1 00	M Hock	2 00
A V Cool	2 00	J D Longenberger	4 20
Wm Williams	2 00	M C Woodward	2 00
C W Miller	1 00	M G Shoemaker	2 00
B Kistler	4 00	P Werkheiser	2 00
J Morrison	5 80	G Kramer	4 50
		Blanks	4 30

MARRIAGES.

HECKENDORN—ELWEL—In Centreville, on the 4th ult., by Saml. Diefenderf, Esq., Mr. John Heckendorn, to Miss Maria Elwel, both of Danville, Montour county, Pa.

DEATHS.

LONG—In Jordan, Lycoming co., on the 2 th ult., Jeremiah, son of Hiram and Margaret Long, aged 1 year, 9 months and 21 days.

ROBINS—On the 27th ult., in Jackson township, Mrs. Charity Robins.

After a pilgrimage of 70 years, 3 months and 21 days, she died in the triumphs of a living faith, and has gone to her Father's home above, to rest from our sad sorrow. As she neared Jordan's cold and icy flood she evidenced no fear, for all was well. She left weeping friends to mourn her loss, but their loss is her eternal gain. And I do not think I could speak to them what she would say, "Weep not for me but prepare to come where I am; do as I have done for I in days of other years prepared to meet my God and now I dwell with him in his own blest above."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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LAST NOTICE.—All moneys due on subscriptions to Jacoby & Shuman and to W. H. Jacoby, for the *Star and Democrat*, must be paid by the first of April next. After that date they will be placed in the hands of a collector, for immediate settlement.
W. H. JACOBY,
Bloomsburg, Feb. 2, '71 tf.

DON'T fail to see Marr's goods before you purchase; they are good and cheap.

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First Annual Statement of the Columbia County Mutual Saving Fund and Loan Association, For the Year Ending with December, 1871.

Months.	Number of Shares.	Loans.	Received. Initiation, Dues, Interest and Fines.	Received. Advance Payments.	Received. Amount.	Paid. Premiums.	Paid. Loans.	Paid. Expenses.	Paid. Amount.
January,	700	11	1460 00	233 00	1633 00	884	1316	249 98	1565 98
February,	758	45	2945 58	2182 12	5127 70	3723	5277	7 50	5284 50
March,	81	16	1864 15	336 32	2200 47	1206	1991	00	1994 00
April,	7	14	1352 40	623 63	1976 03	1150	1750	20 83	1670 83
May,	0	19	1279 60	725 00	2004 60	1531	2269	20 83	2289 83
June,	0	22	1178 50	66 00	1244 50	1873	2527	00	2527 00
July,	0	9	1292 60	1060 68	2353 28	720	1080	41 66	1121 66
August,	0	29	1377 00	2114 28	3491 28	2932	3478	20 83	3498 83
September	0	13	1251 10	53 68	1304 78	960	1650	25 63	1675 63
October,	0	8	1252 20	5 00	1257 20	571	1629	20 83	1649 83
November	0	18	1470 40	724 72	2195 12	1241	2356	00	2356 00
December,	0	25	1873 00	2263 49	3816 49	1750	3250	120 36	3370 36
	1546	229	18,01653	10,387 92	28,404 45	17924	27870	528 45	28404 45
	5 Shares Forfeited.								
	1541								

Average Premium for year,.. $78.27x
Value of Shares..... 25,46

Assets.

220 Loans..... $15,800,00
Backstanding dues and fines.. 162.50
$15,962,50

Liabilities.

Due to Shareholders for payments in advance..... $ 6,487,83
Interest due Shareholders..... 239,42
$ 6,727.25
Net assets..... $39,235,25

Receipts.

Amt., of dues, Int. and fines... $18,016.53
" " advance payments... 10,387.92
$28,404.45

Payments.

On 220 Loans..... $27,876 00
" Secretary's Salary..... 250.00
" Treasurer's Salary..... 25 00
" Printing..... 189.80
" Roll Book, Journal, &c..... 44.15
" Court charges for Charter. 2.00
" Recording Charter..... 5.50
" Profit and Loss..... 12.00
$28,404.45

Officers.

E. H. LITTLE, President. C. W. MILLER, Secretary. S. H. MILLER, Treasurer.

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J. J. BROWER, C. B. BROCKWAY, F. C. EYER, W. B. KOONS, I. S. KUHN, D. T. JONES, E. J. McHENRY, S. H. MILLER, SAMUEL NEYHARD, HENRY G. PHILIPS, H. L. DIEFFENBACH, CHAS. W. MILLER.

We the undersigned Auditors appointed to examine the Annual Statement of the Secretary, Respectfully report that after a careful examination we found the above statement to be correct.
J. P. TUSTIN
F. C. EYER,
JOHN THOMAS.

BLOOMSBURG, January 23, 1872

MARKET REPORTS.

Bloomsburg Market.

Wheat per bushel	$1.40
Rye "	1.00
Corn "	50
Oats, "	45
Flour per barrel	8 00
Cloverseed	5 50
Flaxseed	1 50
Butter	25
Eggs	25
Tallow	10
Potatoes	50
Dried Apples	10
Hams	17
Sides and Shoulders	10
Lard per pound	10
Hay per ton	25 00

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DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between F. P. Swayze and George Kramer, under the firm title of Swayze & Kramer, at Jones Mill, Fishingcreek township, was dissolved on January 16, by mutual consent. The books are in the hands of Mr. Kramer to whom all communications should be addressed. Accounts not settled by the 1st of March will be collected according to law.
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Ladies Balmoral Hose
Ladies Balbigare, Hose,
Ladies Iron Frame Hose
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Ladies Vests
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Ladies Cloth Gloves
Ladies Berlind Gloves
Ladies Buck Gauntlets
WOOL SCARFS, NUBIAS, HOODS.
Buck Gloves
Ladies Fur top Gloves
Gents Fur to Gloves
Buck Gloves and Mittens
Ladies Kid Gloves
Gents Cloth Back Buck Palm Gloves
Shawls of all Kinds.
Ribbons
Velveteens
Empress Cloth
Dress Goods
Dundee Robes
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OIL CLOTHS 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4 wide.
TEA SETTS of 46 pieces, Iron stone ware at $3.75 per sett.
Our stock of TEAS, COFFEES, SPICES, &c., is full and at the lowest figures.
Our stock of NOTIONS is full and complete.
BOOTS and SHOES, a full line.
CLARK & WOLF are closing out their stock of SHAWLS at reduced prices, many of them at cost.
We carried no stock of FURS over from last season, our present stock is large and all new, and we offer them from $2.50 to $30.00 per set.
WATER-PROOF CLOAKING at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

Legal Notices.

LICENSE NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the following petitions for License to sell liquor have been filed in the Prothonotary's office and will be presented to the Court at February term, A. D., 1872:

Israel Heller, Greenwood twp		Hotel
J. V. Gallaspy,	"	"
Humphrey Parker	"	"
John Leggett,	"	"
Hiram Hess, Benton		"
Andrew J. Ikeler, Benton		"
J. Paul Fry, Beaver		"
John S. Mann, Centre twp

Young Folks.

Margaret and the Silver Bell.

BY MATTIE DYER BRITTS.

Margaret arose very early in the morning and did up her work as speedily and tidily as possible, so that she might be ready in time for the fair.

When it was done she put on her white skirt and little scarlet boddice, made her brown curls smooth and glossy and tied them with a scarlet ribbon. She smiled back at the lovely image which smiled at her from her little cracked looking-glass, but it was not a smile of vanity, for Margaret knew her beauty was only a gift from the good Father, and was thankful for it, not proud of it.

She took the little silver bell the Fairy Queen had given her, and, lest she should lose it in her pocket, put it into her bosom for safe keeping, and set off with aunt Gretchen for the fair.

They followed the path through the grand old woods, crossed the silver stream on the rustic bridge and entered the great highway among the groups of people in holiday dresses, who were also going to the fair. After a while they came to the great town, where every thing was a scene of gayety and confusion. Simple Margaret was bewildered by the strangeness of all she saw, and kept tight hold of aunt Gretchen's hand until aunt Gretchen left her, to join a group of her friends, and Margaret found herself standing all alone in the midst of that great crowd of strange people. She was much frightened at first, but soon gained courage and began to look about her again.

She saw a great many young girls of her own age, but they were beautifully robed in gay dresses, and wore gold chains and rings, and some of them sat in fine carriages with prancing horses in front.

"Ah, what a pleasant life as their's," said Margaret, with a sigh, "while I have to toil so hard and dress so plainly! Why should they have all the good things, and I none?"

Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle! went a little silver chime, so soft and sweet and close to Margaret that no one else heard it—but she did, and knew it, too. She quickly put her hand up to her bosom, where she had hidden the little silver bell.

"Ah, my good little fairy-friend," said she, "you remind me that I am wicked and ungrateful to envy these gay girls, and if I think evil thoughts I shall lose you. Come, now, I have as many limbs, and as fair a form, and can run about as freely as any of these here; and I can enjoy all these gay sights and sounds as well as the best of them, and when I am tired I have a home to go to and food to refresh me. What more do I want?" So she smiled again as pleasantly as usual, and went contentedly about, looking at the beautiful things in the fair.

And though Margaret did not know it, the sight of her sweet, contented face with its happy smile, gave pleasure to more than one sad heart who chanced to glance at her. So you see, even a cheerful smile may do good sometimes, while a fretful, discontented countenance never did good or gave pleasure to anybody.

After a while a lovely lady, whom every one stopped to gaze upon, came through the crowd, and as she passed Margaret, a beautiful golden bracelet dropped from her arm and fell at Margaret's very feet.

No one else saw it, but Margaret stooped and picked it up, looking at it with admiring eyes.

"Ah, this splendid bracelet! I never had anything half so beautiful in my life! How pretty it would look on my arm!" said she. "I believe it would just fit, too!"

She slipped the golden links over her round wrist, and sure enough the bracelet just fitted!

"Why should I not keep it?" whispered Margaret. "I found it, and no one could say it is not mine."

Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle! went the little silver bell again, but more softly this time, and with something sad in its tone.

Margaret quickly unclasped the bracelet.

"Oh, what am I doing?" she cried "Such a wicked thing would make me lose my fairy friend forever! I must hasten to find that lovely lady."

She ran through the crowd, found the lady a few steps away and gave her the bracelet.

"Thank you, my good girl," said the lady, with a sweet smile; "I see you are good as well as fair, or you would have kept my bracelet. I have left my purse at home, but see, I will give you this," she added, drawing a gold ring from her finger, and offering it to Margaret.

But the young girl drew back, and said she did not want any reward.

"Nay, then, you must wear it, for my sake, and to remember me by," said the lady, with another sweet smile, still extending the ring.

So then Margaret took it, thanked the lady very prettily, and slipped it on her finger, very proud and glad indeed to have anything so beautiful.

And as she turned away to let the lady pass on, the little bell in her bosom tinkled a soft, merry little peal, as if it were quite satisfied and contented with what she had done.

After a while the sun began to drop behind the western hills, and the people to go home. Margaret searched everywhere for aunt Gretchen, but could not find her. So, at last, fearing to wait until night came on, the young girl set off home alone.

But it was later than she thought and she did not know the path through the forest, so she lost her way just as the darkness set in.

Poor Margaret was much alarmed, and at first did not know what to do. She wandered hither and thither in search of the path, and was ready to weep at the prospect of having to spend the long night alone in the dark forest, when suddenly she bethought herself of her little bell, and, taking it from her bosom, she rung a loud, clear peal, which sounded through the arches of the forest, and died softly away among the distant hills.

Almost instantly the air around grew softly luminous, so that Margaret could see the way quite plainly; sweet low strains of music fell on her ear, and presently she saw that she was surrounded by a host of little, flying spirits, while directly in front of her stood the golden-crowned, purple-robed Queen of the Fairies.

"Well!" said her little majesty, gayly, "I told you we would come if you rang your bell. Now, I suppose you want us to take you safely home?"

"Yes, please. I have lost my way," said Margaret.

"But you need not have been frightened, for we were watching over you, and only waiting for your summons. Give your hand to little Mustard Seed there, and we will lead you safely out of the forest."

Margaret gladly gave her hand to a sharp little fairy, who fluttered along at her side, and they went merrily on through the old woods.

"And did you have a pleasant time at the fair to-day?" asked the fairy queen.

"Oh, yes! Everything was so beautiful! And see how rich I have grown! A lady gave me this splendid ring for finding a bracelet she had lost. Now I have a silver bell and a golden ring. Am I not rich?"

"Quite rich, if you make a good use of your gifts," replied the Fairy Queen. "You must remember, dear Margaret, they came to you as the *rewards of goodness*. We fairies are always ready to reward goodness and punish evil. But, so long as you remain honest and kind, and gentle, all the good spirits will be always ready to come to your aid. See we are at the edge of the forest and you can see your home; so, now bid us good night, and we will leave you.

Margaret thanked her little fairy-friends for their kindness, gayly bade them good-night and ran merrily through the moonlight to her humble home, happy and contented.

You may be sure she took good care of the silver bell which had done her such good service. Wouldn't you like to have one like it, dear children?

I am sure you would; and indeed you may have—or at least, we all of us have a little inward monitor in our bosoms which warns us softly and gently of evil, or helps us to do right, and this little inward friend, whose gentle name is Conscience, may help you as greatly as Margaret was helped by her silver fairy-bell.

Agricultural.

Drying Up Cows.

The common idea that it is necessary to dry off a cow two or three months before calving, is really not only an erroneous but a very unprofitable one. A cow in the dairy is not an animal in a state of nature. She is as artificial a production as the improved carrot or turnip which she eats, or the oil-cake which is fed to her. And if this is so, and her milking capacity has been artificially built up far beyond that originally consistent with her natural condition, why should we stop in our work at a certain point and not continue it as far as possible? We have known more than one occasion when a cow was milked up to the period of calving, and no injury occurred either to her or the calf.

It is true that the changed condition of the cow needs some change of treatment. There is a greatly enhanced demand on her physical resources, but this change comes on so gradually that we can not tell the exact moment her milking powers should be suspended. Certainly not necessarily two months any more than three or four months previous to her coming on again. The gradually changing condition of the cow must be gradually met and all will be well. We lately saw a fine Ayrshire cow which had just dropped a calf when at the Illinois State Fair, and she was in very high condition, so much so that an ordinary farmer, having a cow in similar condition, would fear for her safety. We also saw a fine Jersey cow on another occasion, which the owner assured us was milked the evening previous to her calving, and the calf seemed to have suffered nothing in consequence. In fact it is doubtful if a cow is not in a much safer position when thus constantly milked. It is within our experience that garget has occurred before calving, and that cows often need to have the milk drawn from them, sometimes for some days previous to this event.

Then, if all this is true (and we think most experienced men will coincide with us), why should not the cow be utilized as much as possible? Why should she not be permitted to produce milk as long as she will? And why should we beat so much pains to dry up our cows? It is certain that injury is sometimes done to cows by improperly drying them off, and when we sometimes read of farmers being advised to take such and such precautions in this matter, we are led to think they are not only making gratuitous trouble for themselves but are throwing away a source of profit. That there is a change occurring in the common idea in this respect, is proved abundantly by the fact that a cow which will milk continuously, is looked on as something above the common. And why, while we are improving our stock in this direction, should farmers be advised to adhere to a practice which produces a contrary effect?—*American Agriculturist.*

HINTS ON BUTTER-MAKING.—A lady writing to the *American Agriculturalist*, thinking that too much that is written about butter-making is by "men," and not by experienced butter makers, gives a few hints. For the improvement of butter, she very sensibly begins with the cow, and advises feeding meal. She says: "My rule in winter is to let the milk stand on a table in a cellar for twenty-four hours; set it on the stove until the cream wrinkles, (do not let it get too hot,) then let it stand another twenty-four hours. Use a skimming ladle with holes, in order to have as little milk as possible with the cream. Stir it every day; and the day before churning put the pot near the stove to allow the cream to warm and get sour. Some have the mistaken idea that the cream should not get sour, but it makes better butter, and more of it. Stir the cream well, as much depends on that. If a clear, yellow skin forms on the cream, it will make the butter strong; it is as bad as mold or worse. In summer, throw a handful of salt in the cream pot when you first set it; it will keep the cream sweet longer. Be sure to ventilate the cellar or milk room. It is a mistake to churn sweet and sour cream together, as it makes the butter streaked. Do not work the butter too long; but have a fine cloth, to take up the butter-milk with.

TO CUT GLASS.—Any hard steel, says the Boston *Journal of Chemistry*, will cut glass with facility when kept freely wet with camphor dissolved in turpentine. The ragged edge of glass may also be thus smoothed with a flat file.

Patent Medicines.

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THE CAUSE AND CURE OF CONSUMPTION.

The primary cause of Consumption is derangement of the digestive organs. This derangement produces deficient nutrition and assimilation is by assimilation I mean that process by which the nutriment of the food is converted into blood, and thence into the solids of the body. Persons with digestion thus impaired, having the slightest predisposition to pulmonary disease, or if they have cold, will be very liable to have Consumption of the lungs in some of its forms; and I hold that it will be impossible to cure any case of Consumption without first restoring a good digestion and healthy assimilation. The very first thing to be done is to cleanse the stomach and bowels from all diseased mucus and slime, which is clogging those organs so that they cannot perform their functions, and then raise up and restore the liver to a healthy action. For this purpose the surest and best remedy is Schenck's Mandrake Pills. These Pills clean the stomach and bowels of all the dead and morbid slime that is causing disease and decay in the whole system. They will clear out the liver of all diseased bile that has accumulated there, and, I care not how far gone a case may be, if the stomach, bowels, and liver are thus cleansed by the use of Schenck's Mandrake Pills, and there remains in the stomach an excess of acid, the organ is torpid and the appetite poor, in the words of the Scripture, "Unto him that hath shall be given," the Mandrake acts as a tonic, and restores strength and appetite. It is in a condition like this that Schenck's Seaweed Tonic proves to be the most valuable remedy ever discovered. It is alkaline, and its use will neutralize all excess of acid, making the stomach sweet and fresh; it will give permanent tone to this important organ, and create a good, healthy appetite, and prepare the system for the best possible process of digestion, and ultimately make good, healthy blood. After this preparatory treatment, which is necessary to cure most cases of Consumption is the free and persevering use of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup. The Pulmonic Syrup nourishes the system, purifies the blood, and is readily absorbed into the circulation, and thence ministered to the diseased lungs. There it ripens all morbid matters, whether in the form of abscesses or tubercles, and then assists Nature to expel all the diseased matter, in the form of free expectoration, when once it ripens. It is then, by the great healing and purifying properties of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, that all ulcers and cavities are healed up sound, and my patient is cured.

The essential thing to be done in curing Consumption is to get up a good appetite and good digestion, so that the body may grow in flesh and get strong. If a person has diseased lungs, —a cavity or abscess there,—the cavity cannot heal, no matter cause the lungs are in, so long as the system is below par. What is necessary to cure is a new order of things,—a good appetite, a good nutrition, that will make good blood, and when Nature is helped, the cavities will heal, the matter will ripen and be thrown off in the quantities, and the person regain strength. This is the true and only plan to cure Consumption, and if a person is very sick, if the lungs are not entirely destroyed, or even if one lung is entirely gone, if there is enough vitality left in the system to heal up, it will do it.

I have seen many persons cured by only one sound lung, live and enjoy life to a good old age. This is what we must do in order to cure Consumption. They will clean out the stomach, sweeten and strengthen it, get up a good digestion, and give Nature the assistance she needs to clear the system of all the disease that is in the lungs, whatever the form may be.

It is important that while using Schenck's Medicines, care should be exercised not to take cold; keep the feet dry in cold and damp weather; avoid night air, and take out-door exercise only in a genial and warm sunshine.

I wish it distinctly understood that when I recommend a patient to be careful in regard to taking cold, while using my medicines, I do so for a special reason. A man who has but partially recovered from the effects of a bad cold is far more liable to a relapse than one who has been entirely cured; and it is precisely the same in regard to Consumption. So long as the lungs are not perfectly healed, just so long is there imminent danger of a full return of the disease. Hence it is that I so strenuously caution pulmonary patients against exposing themselves to an atmosphere that is not genial and pleasant. Consumptives' lungs are a mass of sores, which the least change of atmosphere will inflame. The great secret of my success with my Medicines consists in my ability to subdue inflammation instead of provoking it, as many of the faculty do. An inflamed lung cannot, with safety to the patient, be exposed to the cutting blasts of Winter or the chilling winds of Spring or Autumn. It should be carefully shielded from all irritating influences. The utmost caution should be observed in this particular, for without it a cure under almost any circumstances is an impossibility.

The person should be kept on a white meat and nutritious diet, and all the Medicines continued until the body has restored to it the natural quantity of flesh and strength.

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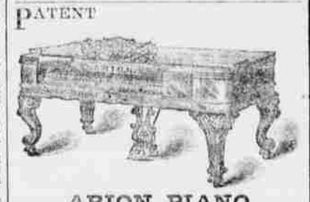

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